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John McMichael et al.

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For: TREATMENT OF SYMPTOMS OF ASTHMA,  
ALLERGIES AND OTITIS MEDIA

Examiner: M. C. Wilson

**AMENDMENT IN RESPONSE TO NON-FINAL OFFICE ACTION**

MS Amendment  
Commissioner for Patents  
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Dear Sir:

**INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS**

This is in response to the Office Action dated April 10, 2007, in which all pending claims (15-19) stand rejected under 35 U.S.C. §112 (first paragraph). This response is timely filed as it is accompanied by a petition for a three month extension of time until October 10, 2007.

**Status of the Claims** is reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 3 of this paper.